

A VERY SILLY STORY

ABOUT PRESIDENT ARTHUR'S TRIP

**To Louisville—An Alleged Scheme to Throw
the Vote of the Solid South for Him—A
Freak of the Imagination for the
Entertainment of Reporters.**

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 21.—The story published and sent out as a special from Chicago that when President Arthur came from Washington to open the Southern Exposition in this city, a scheme was laid by which in the event of his condemnation by the Republicans, and that of Mr. Cleveland by the Democrats, the vote of the Solid South was to be cast for Mr. Arthur, is pronounced a freak of imagination for the entertainment of the Chicago reporters. The *Courier and Journal* says: The facts are that Louisville received and entertained President Arthur with becoming hospitality.

New York, Nov. 30.—The Union League club met to-night to take appropriate action relative to the death of ex-President Arthur. Chauncey M. Depew, president, and in his remarks referred to the comparatively recent death of three of its distinguished members, George Grant, General Hancock and now General Grant. An extended set of resolutions, reviewing the life and services of the deceased, were passed. General Sherman said he had known Mr. Arthur long before he became President, and was glad to have his assistance. From the day he took the oath of office as Chief Magistrate up to the day he threw off the cares he had been an honorable and a magnanimous and a magnificent ruler.

Three weeks ago he had seen him. He wore the same old pleasant smile; his hair

and humor at all who were acquainted with him knew so well. Yet there was something in his face which spoke of death. He was now gone to meet his loving wife. They would not call him back except in memory, but remember him as one true to his friends, true to his country, and true to his God. A committee of sixty was appointed to attend the funeral.

Lived Five Years Without a Skull.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., Nov. 20.—Most

the thing would seem the more impossible in the case of a man who wasn't "born that way." And yet, even this seemed an impossibility is but a seeming one.

T. P. Woodall, a man who died yesterday at Hartells, Ala., from the effects of a fall from a railroad car, had lived five years ago lying in lifeless form for two years, his head amid the hot embers of an expiring fire. The entire top of his head down to his eyes had been burned, and a crisp and instant death seemed inevitable.

After last resort, the surgeons removed the skull and laid down as the sockets of the eyes, and equally as far to the rear. An artificial covering was placed over the brain to protect it from exposure, and in a few weeks a thin film

an lived, reining all his faculties. The embrace never hardened, and to the fear of his death the convulsions of the pain could be easily discerned and its workings clearly seen.

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Jacobini Resigns.

Rome, Nov. 21.—Cardinal Jacobini, the papal Secretary of State, on the plea of ill health has asked the Pope to accept his resignation. It is known that the Cardinal suffers from incipient dropsy, but the chief cause of his desire to resign is the approaching difficulty with the Quirinal.

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The Board of Public Works has ordered that after December 1 no more digging up the streets will be allowed until spring. Those who intend putting in the natural gas should make a note of this and lose no time in making connection with the mains and carrying the supply pipes to their premises, when connection with the house pipes can be made at any time.

Mrs. Thomas Butcher, of Parkersburg, at the Stamm House.

g his brother, Mr. Robert Luke.
Fred Faris has returned from a visit of
veral weeks to friends in New York.
Ed Stifel is home from the State Uni-

Mr. John W. Burchinal, of Moundsville, editor of the *Herald*, was at the St. James yesterday.

Mrs. Nellie Sweeney Palmer got home

Miss Sadie Meade is ill with typhoid fever at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. F. Hearn, at Leatherwood.

Mr. C. R. Racy, manager of the Western Union telegraph office, got home Saturday on a business trip to New York.

Miss Clara Crouse returned Saturday on a pleasant visit to Ballaire friends. Miss Sailla Crouse is the guest of the

Mr. George J. Deagle, the father of Miss Tessie Deagle, the actress who is to hold the boards at the Grand this week, joined in the dirge last evening and is at

Several Wheeling people have received invitations to attend a full dress german ball, to be given at the Academy.

The Wellsburg Herald says: It is prob-

will succeed C. N. Brady as president of the Riverside Glass Company. Mr. C. N. Brady will remove to Washington, Pa., on the completion of the works at that place, but will retain an interest in the Riverside.

The *Bellaire Independent* gives a Wheeling man this send off: Among the names mentioned in connection with the Majority of Wheeling we notice that of Mr. William A. Inett, of the Wheeling Battery.

company. Without detracting from the worth of Wheeling Republicans, unless they name some one other than we have yet heard of in connection with that office, that city would honor itself in selecting no

Jet boards, it is said, will give way to
balls of feathers as a finish for hat brims.